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The desalination plant supplier leaderboard

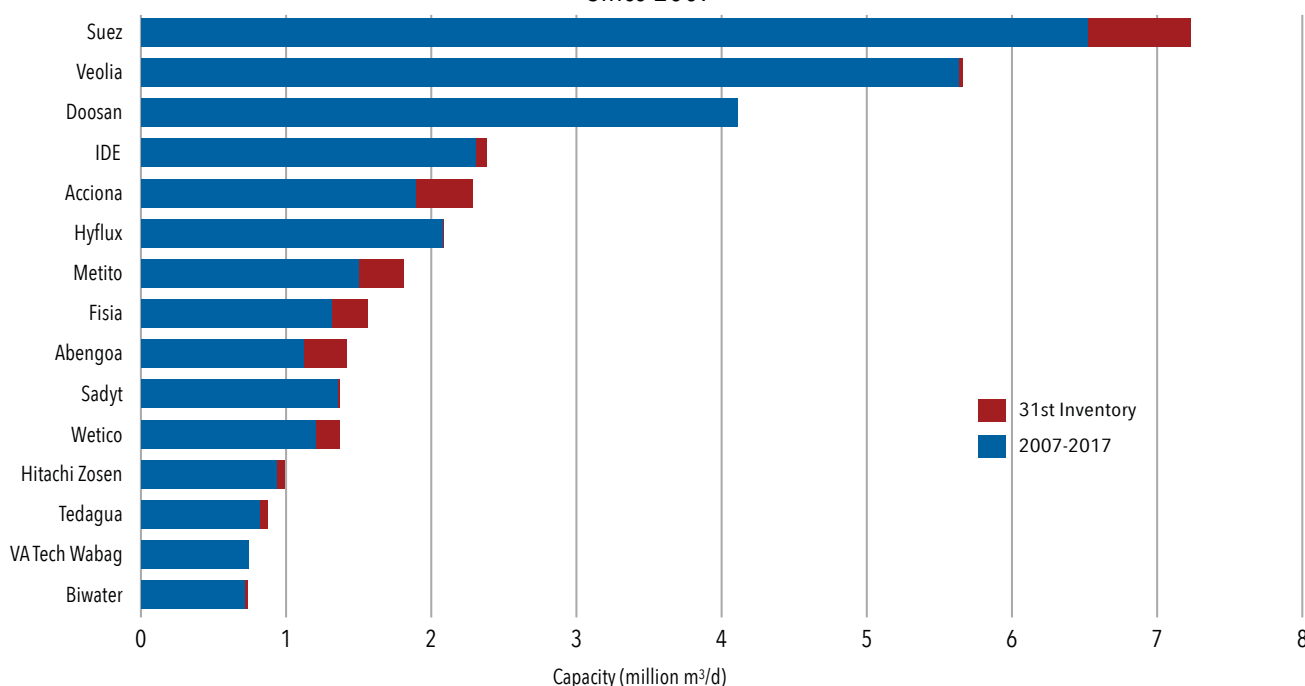
Where is Veolia? Where is Doosan? 2017/8 has been a cruel year for some of the big names in the desalination industry.

This month's list comes from Desal-Data's 31st Worldwide Desalting Plant Inventory. It shows the top 15 desalination plant suppliers in terms of newly contracted capacity since 2007, and below, the top 15 in terms of new capacity contracted since June 2017. It shows that Suez is now

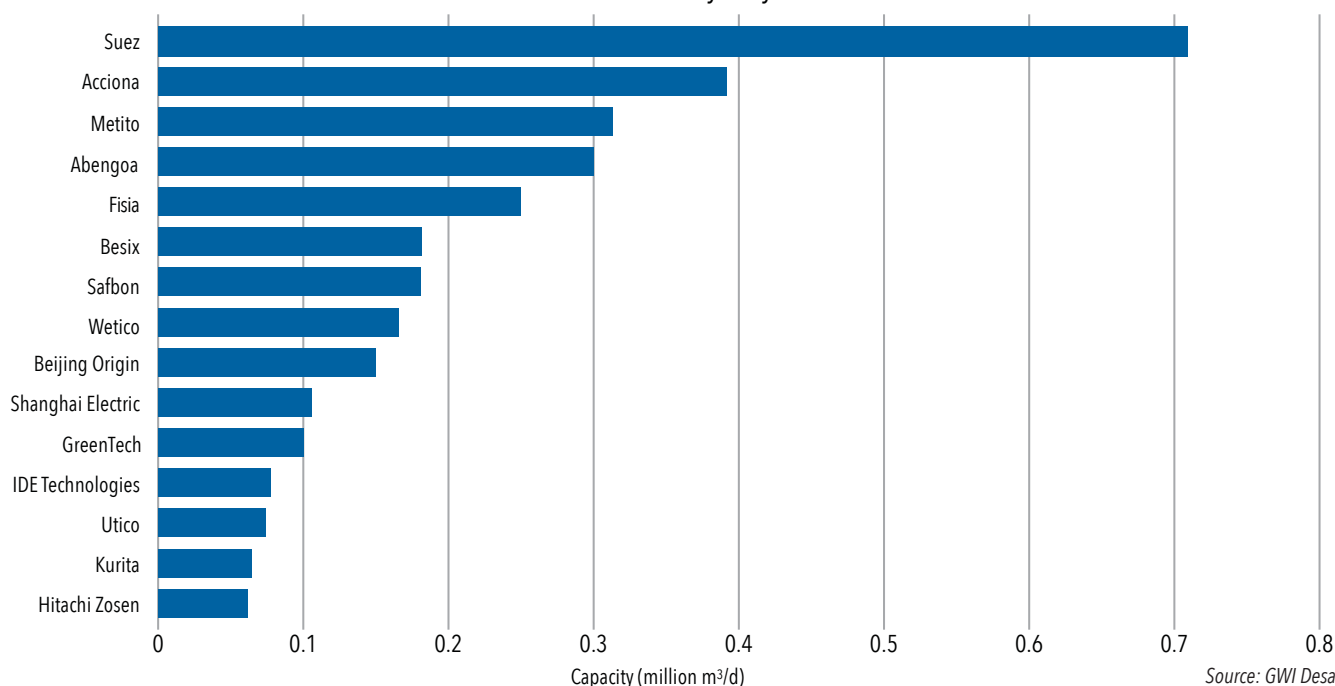
the undisputed leader of the desalination industry, thanks to its acquisition of GE Water. It also shows that many of the big names have had a difficult time in the market. Of the top 15 plant suppliers in terms of contracted capacity since 2007, eight did well enough in 2017/8 to merit a place

in the top 15 in the 31st Inventory. Four of the newcomers are Chinese membrane systems specialists. Two others, Utico and Besix, were part of engineering, procurement and construction consortia, but not in the strictest sense desalination plant suppliers. ■

Since 2007



31st Inventory only



Source: GWI DesalData